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In the Specification

On page 1, directly before **FIELD OF THE INVENTION**, please insert the following section header and paragraph:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Serial No. 60/423,819, filed November 5, 2002, the disclosure of which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety.

On page 2, lines 9 and 10 please delete the entire sentence as this information is included in the "CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION" section.

On page 4, line 16, please amend the phrase, "pharmaceutically acceptable salt or a solvate" to read, "pharmaceutically acceptable salt, hydrate or solvate"; support can be found throughout the original specification, for example, page 2, line 31, and page 34, line 1.

On page 54, in Example 6.15, on lines 1 and 4, please delete "amino" from the chemical name of the title compound to conform to the chemical structure shown therewith. The correct chemical name for Example 6.15, on line 1 and again on line 4 should read, "1-[2'-(4''-Methoxy-phenyl)-ethyl]-1H-benzotriazole-5-carboxylic acid". In addition, please correct the chemical name for this compound on Page 4, line 1 to read, "1-[2'-(4''-Methoxy-phenyl)-ethyl]-1H-benzotriazole-5-carboxylic acid"; and in the amended Claims as described herein below. This amendment corrects an obvious typographical error since the compound as shown clearly does not contain an "amino" group; accordingly no new matter has been introduced.

On page 54, in Example 6.16, on lines 16 and 19, please delete "amino" from the chemical name of the title compound to conform to the chemical structure shown therewith. The corrected chemical name for Example 6.16, on line 16 and again on line 19 should read, "1-[2'-(3''-Methoxy-phenyl)-ethyl]-1H-benzotriazole-5-carboxylic acid". In addition, please correct the chemical name for this compound on Page 4, line 2 to read, "1-[2'-(3''-Methoxy-phenyl)-ethyl]-1H-benzotriazole-5-carboxylic acid"; and in the amended Claims as described herein below. This amendment corrects an obvious typographical error since the compound as shown clearly does not contain an "amino" group; accordingly no new matter has been introduced.